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Highlights

\$ U.S. Onion production \$ Fruit & nut production
\$ Milk & Dairy production \$ Rank in Agriculture
\$ Crop production \$ All wheat classes

Wheat: Production by class, United States, 2000-2002 ^{1/}

Year	Winter			Spring			Total
	Hard Red	Soft Red	White	Hard Red	Durum	White	
	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>
2000	846,324	471,356	248,343	502,318	109,805	54,314	2,232,460
2001	766,795	399,670	195,014	475,515	83,556	36,493	1,957,043
2002	609,243	332,275	201,284	363,951	80,245	37,638	1,624,636

^{1/} Wheat class estimates are based on the latest varietal acreage survey data available.

Crop summary: Acres harvested, yield and production, Oregon and United States, 2001 and 2002 ^{1/}

Crop & unit	Oregon ^{2/}			United States		
	Harvested	Yield	Production	Harvested	Yield	Production
	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>Per acre</i>	<i>1,000 units</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>Per acre</i>	<i>1,000 units</i>
Winter wheat, bu.						
2001	700	40.0	28,000	31,295	43.5	1,361,479
2002	710	41.0	29,110	29,651	38.5	1,142,802
Spring wheat, bu. ^{3/}						
2001	155	30.0	4,650	17,338	34.4	595,564
2002	140	35.0	4,900	16,371	29.4	481,834
Barley, bu.						
2001	100	45.0	4,500	4,289	58.2	249,420
2002	74	50.0	3,700	4,135	54.9	226,873
Oats, bu.						
2001	25	77.0	1,925	1,905	61.4	117,024
2002	35	88.0	3,080	2,098	56.8	119,132
Alfalfa hay, ton						
2001	460	4.30	1,978	23,812	3.37	80,266
2002	475	4.30	2,043	24,134	3.09	74,655
Other hay, ton						
2001	565	1.90	1,074	39,699	1.93	76,437
2002	630	2.10	1,323	40,575	1.87	75,792
Dry edible beans, cwt.						
2001	9.5	1,810	172	1,243.0	1,572	19,541
2002	7.5	1,700	128	1,690.6	1,632	27,594
Sugarbeets, ton						
2001	10.0	29.1	291	1,243.6	20.7	25,787
2002	10.9	29.7	324	1,370.8	20.9	28,619

^{1/} October 1, 2002, forecast for alfalfa hay, other hay, dry edible beans, and sugarbeets.

^{2/} Estimates carried forward from earlier forecast except sugarbeets.

^{3/} U.S. total includes Durum wheat.

Oregon's rank in the nations agriculture: 2001

Commodity	Rank among states	Production	Unit	Metric tons	Percent of U.S.
Field crops:					
Peppermint	1	2,184,000	Lbs.	991	34.4
Hops	2	11,443,200	Lbs.	5,191	17.1
Spearmint	3	132,000	Lbs.	60	6.4
Potatoes, all	7	20,730,000	Cwt.	940,307	4.7
Barley	9	4,500,000	Bu.	97,977	1.8
Sugarbeets	10	291,000	Ton	263,993	1.1
Oats	17	1,925,000	Bu.	27,942	1.6
Wheat, all	18	32,650,000	Bu.	888,597	1.7
Hay, all	22	3,052,000	Ton	2,768,756	1.9
Seed crops: 1/ 5/					
Bentgrass seed	1	5,006,000	Lbs.	2,271	4/
Ryegrass seed	1	458,813,000	Lbs.	208,116	99.2
Fescue seed	1	249,222,000	Lbs.	113,046	63.5
Orchardgrass seed	1	15,577,000	Lbs.	7,066	99.0
Kentucky bluegrass seed	2	18,732,000	Lbs.	8,497	26.9
Alfalfa seed	5	4,710,000	Lbs.	2,136	7.6
Berries:					
Blackberries 6/	1	41,600,000	Lbs.	18,870	100.0
Boysen & youngberries 6/	1	4,100,000	Lbs.	1,860	68.3
Loganberries 6/	1	110,000	Lbs.	50	100.0
Raspberries, black 6/	1	3,810,000	Lbs.	1,728	100.0
Raspberries, red 6/	2	15,900,000	Lbs.	7,212	17.5
Strawberries	3	40,200,000	Lbs.	18,235	2.4
Blueberries 6/	3	28,900,000	Lbs.	13,109	14.8
Cranberries 6/	4	35,500,000	Lbs.	16,103	7.4
Fruit and nuts:					
Hazelnuts	1	49,500	Tons	44,906	100.0
Prunes & plums 6/	2	7,800	Tons	7,076	1.3
Cherries, sweet 6/	3	34,000	Tons	30,845	15.5
Pears, all 6/	3	229,500	Tons	208,201	23.7
Grapes, wine	6	22,800	Tons	20,684	3.0
Cherries, tart 6/	7	1,150	Tons	1,043	0.7
Apples, all 6/	7	70,500	Tons	63,957	1.5
Peaches 6/	23	3,200	Tons	2,903	0.3
Vegetables:					
Snap beans, processing	2	121,510	Tons	110,233	17.4
Onions, storage	2	9,970	Cwt.	452	21.3
Green peas, processing	5	38,540	Tons	34,963	10.0
Sweet corn, processing	4	226,870	Tons	205,815	7.2
Horticulture:					
Christmas trees	1	8,546,000	Trees	NA	23.7
Potted florist azaleas (wholesale)	1	21,380,000	Dollars	NA	33.9
Cut cultivated greens, total	3	4,162,000	Dollars	NA	7.3
Cut flowers, all	5	10,698,000	Dollars	NA	2.5
Potted flowering plants, all	9	28,409,000	Dollars	NA	3.4
Potted petunias (wholesale)	20	361,000	Dollars	NA	1.6
Bedding/garden plants, all	22	34,157,000	Dollars	NA	1.6
Livestock:					
Mink pelt production	4	251,000	Pelts	NA	9.8
Trout 3/	7	2,205,000	Dollars	NA	3.1
Sheep and lambs 2/	8	285,000	Head	NA	4.3
Wool production	10	1,510,000	Lbs.	685	3.5
Milk production	21	1,717,000,000	Lbs.	778,826	1.0
All cattle & calves 2/	24	1,400,000	Head	NA	1.4
Egg production	29	818,000,000	Eggs	NA	1.0

1/ Percent of U.S. derived from the Agricultural Census 1997. 2/ January 1, 2002 inventory. 3/ 2001 data (September 1, 2001 - August 31, 2002). 2002 estimates available in January 2003. 4/ United States total not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

5/ Production estimates from OSU. 6/ Figures based on utilized production. NA = not available.

Nuts utilized: Production, by crop and state, 2000-2002

Crop & state	2000	2001	Forecast ^{1/} 2002
	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>
Hazelnuts (in-shell basis):			
Oregon	22,300	49,500	18,000 ^{2/}
Washington	200	^{3/}	^{3/}
United States	22,500	49,500	18,000
Walnuts (in-shell basis):			
California	239,000	305,000	275,000
	<i>Thousand pounds</i>	<i>Thousand pounds</i>	<i>Thousand pounds</i>
Almonds (shelled basis) :			
California	703,000	830,000	980,000 ^{2/}
Macadamia nuts(in-shell basis):			
Hawaii	50,000	56,000	n/a
Pecans (in-shell basis):			
United States	209,850	338,500	201,700
Pistachios (in-shell basis):			
California	243,000	161,000	280,000 ^{2/}

^{1/} As of October 11, 2002.

^{2/} Estimates carried forward from earlier forecast.

^{3/} Estimates discontinued in 2001.

Storage onion production 2001-2002

Season & state	Area harvested	Area for harvest	Yield per acre		Production	
	2001	2002	2001	2002	2001	2002
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Cwt.</i>	<i>Cwt.</i>	<i>1,000 cwt.</i>	<i>1,000 cwt.</i>
Total spring ^{1/}	36,200	33,300	306	283	11,083	9,424
Summer non-storage ^{1/}	20,700	21,700	473	484	9,785	10,502
Summer storage ^{1/}						
Malheur County, OR.	11,300	10,700	620	620	7,006	6,634
Oregon, other	5,700	5,700	520	550	2,964	3,135
Idaho	7,800	7,900	640	640	4,992	5,056
Washington	16,000	16,000	550	560	8,800	8,960
Colorado	12,000	11,000	345	370	4,140	4,070
Other States	20,890	20,610	335	274	6,996	5,653
Sub total	73,690	71,910	474	466	34,898	33,508
California ^{2/}	28,200	28,200	420	440	11,844	12,408
Total summer	122,590	121,810	461	463	56,527	56,418
Total United States	158,790	155,110	426	424	67,610	65,842

^{1/} Primarily fresh market.

^{2/} Primarily processing.

**Dairy products: Quantities manufactured,
August 2002**

Product		Production	
		August 2002	Change from 2001
Oregon		<i>1,000</i>	<i>Percent</i>
American cheese	lbs.	8,190	41.1
Ice cream, hard	gal	1,220	1.1
United States			
Butter	lbs.	88,518	17.2
Amer. type cheese	lbs.	304,536	8.2
Creamed cottage Cheese	lbs.	33,106	-1.4
Canned evap. and con- densed whole milk	lbs.	41,760	1.2
Non-fat dry milk	lbs.	113,673	18.3
Yogurt-plain & flavored	lbs.	180,156	6.0
Ice cream, hard	gal	78,207	-2.0
Ice cream, low fat, soft	gal	27,963	-11.7
Frozen yogurt, all	gal	7,300	-9.5

**Oregon Milk Production
up 28 percent**

Oregon milk production for the July-September quarter totaled 553 million pounds. This is an increase of 28 percent from a year ago. The average number of milk cows for the quarter was 120,000 head, compared to 93,000 head the previous year. This increase in the number of milk cows was the third largest in the United States, behind California and New Mexico.

Milk: Cows and production, July-Sept. 2001-2002

State	July-Sept. milk cows ^{1/}		July-Sept. milk production ^{2/}		2002 2001
	2001	2002	2001	2002	Percent change
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>Million pounds</i>	<i>Million pounds</i>	
Oregon	93	120	433	553	27.7
Wash	247	248	1,417	1,432	1.1
Calif	1,598	1,651	8,349	8,842	5.9
Idaho	370	394	2,015	2,126	5.5
U.S.	9,098	9,159	40,570	41,965	3.4

^{1/} Includes dry cows, excludes heifers not yet fresh.

^{2/} Excludes milk sucked by calves.

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